Mountain Weather Forecast

Bannau Brycheiniog (Brecon Beacons) National Park

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Monday 08 Jan 2024 until 23:59 on Tuesday 09 Jan 2024

Forecast Issued on Monday 08 Jan 2024 at 01:22

Confidence: High confidence for high pressure dominating with settled conditions, lower for cloud and fog detail.

Headline for Monday 08 Jan 2024: Mostly dry with patchy cloud and sunny spells through the day. Cold, with a significant wind chill.

Mountain weather hazards on Monday 08 Jan 2024

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** High Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Low Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 600m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Cloudy	Light snow showers (night)
Precipitation probability					
<05%	<05%	<05%	10%	20%	30%

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Weather: Dry for much of the day with patchy cloud, mainly in the east. Some sunny spells, with the best of these in the west. Risk of light snow showers during the late afternoon and evening. A cold day with a significant wind chill.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: 90%, becoming 60% from late afternoon

Low cloud and visibility: Patches of cloud, base reaching the highest summits at times. This becoming areas of cloud base 500-700m from late afternoon, especially in showers. Visibility mostly good or excellent, but poor or very poor in cloud covering hills and in snow showers later.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	16/25 E	18/27 E	21/29 NE	20/26 E	19/27 NE	20/27 NE	21/30 E
300	5/15 E	8/19 NE	14/26 E	12/24 NE	12/23 E	12/24 NE	12/26 E
Valley	4/16 E	7/19 NE	13/26 E	11/22 E	9/20 E	10/22 NE	12/25 E

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	-3/-10	-3/-10	-2/-10	-2/-9	-3/-10	-4/-11	-4/-11
300	-3/-6	-2/-6	1/-4	0/-5	-1/-6	-1/-6	-1/-7
Valley	-2/-5	-1/-5	2/-3	1/-3	0/-4	-0/-5	-0/-6
Freezing Level*	00m	00m	100m	100m	00m	00m	00m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Feeling very cold with a significant wind chill at all levels but particularly at height, be prepared with appropriate layers. Note a potential deterioration in conditions late in the day.

Recent rainfall: measured at Neuadd: altitude 353m

Recorded at	Last 24 hours:	Last 48 hours:	Last 72 hours:
03:00 on Mon 08 Jan 2024	0.2mm	0.4mm	0.4mm

Forecast for Tuesday 09 Jan 2024

Weather: Snow showers clearing during the early hours. Then dry with areas of cloud at first on Tuesday, this likely clearing by late morning to give sunny spells for the afternoon. Cold, with a significant wind chill.

Maximum wind: Easterly or northeasterly 15-20 mph, gusting 30-40 mph

Chance of cloud-free hill tops 600m: 90%

Low cloud and visibility: Mostly good or excellent visibility, but poor or very poor in early snow showers.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Minus 2 to plus 2 Celsius
At 600m: Minus 2 to minus 5 Celsius
Freezing level: 0-200m

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